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Atty. Dkt. No 049411-0257

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Jun Xie et al.  
Title: INTEGRATED SURFACE-MACHINED MICRO FLOW  
CONTROLLER METHOD AND APPARATUS  
Appl. No.: 10/757,030  
Filing Date: January 13, 2004  
Examiner: John Bastianelli  
Art Unit: 3751

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 1, 2005, applicant hereby elects Group I, claims 1-15 for prosecution on the merits. This election is with traverse because the claims can be searched without undue burden.

Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application covering the subject matter of the non-elected claims.

Although applicant believes that no additional fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorize to charge any additional fees deemed necessary, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Receipt of the initial Office Action on the merits is awaited.

Respectfully submitted,

Date

May 2, 2005

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